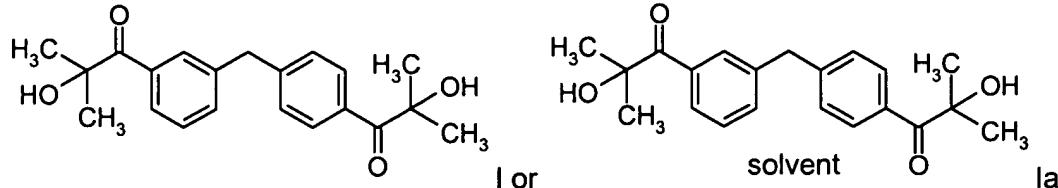


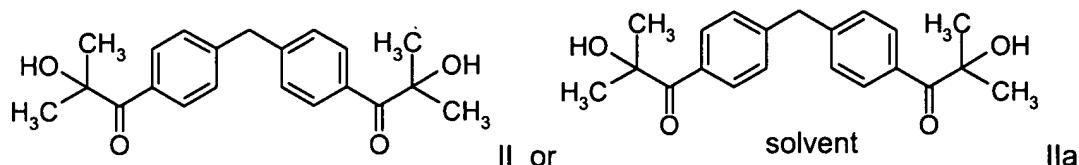
In the Claims:

1. (original): A process for preparing an ink jet printed matter, which comprises the steps of applying an ultraviolet curable ink jet ink composition comprising

a photopolymerizable monomer, oligomer or prepolymer;
a colorant and a compound of the formula I or II or Ia or IIa



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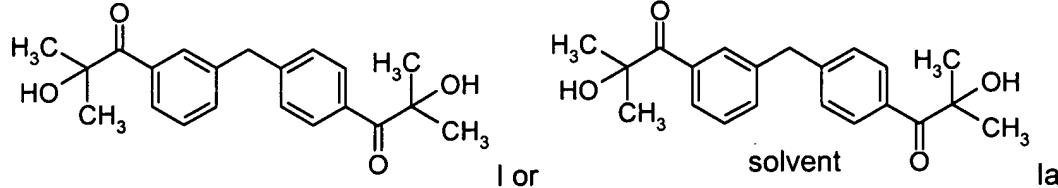
or mixtures thereof, and

optionally a reactive diluent

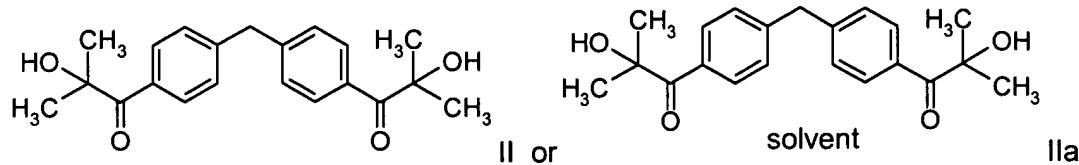
to a recording medium and curing the ink composition on the recording medium by irradiating with ultraviolet ray.

2. (currently amended): A process according to claim 1, wherein the ink jet composition comprises

a photopolymerizable monomer, oligomer or prepolymer;
a colorant and a compound of the formula I or II or Ia or IIa



or



or mixtures thereof, and

a reactive diluent.

3. (currently amended): A process according to claim 1-~~or~~-2, wherein the ink-jet ink composition is a mixture of compound Ia and IIa having a content of compound Ia of 1-2% by weight and a water content of 4-6% by weight.

4. (currently amended): A process according to any one of claims 1-~~to~~-3, wherein the colorant in the ink-jet ink composition is a pigment powder or a pigment preparation.

5. (currently amended): A process according to any one of claims 1-~~to~~-4, wherein the ink-jet ink composition processes a viscosity of less than 50 mPas at ambient temperature.

6. (cancelled).

7. (new): A process according to claim 2, wherein the ink-jet ink composition is a mixture of compound Ia and IIa having a content of compound Ia of 1-2% by weight and a water content of 4-6% by weight.

8. (new): A process according to any one of claims 2, wherein the colorant in the ink-jet ink composition is a pigment powder or a pigment preparation.

9. (new): A process according to any one of claims 3, wherein the colorant in the ink-jet ink composition is a pigment powder or a pigment preparation.

10. (new): A process according to any one of claims 2, wherein the ink-jet ink composition processes a viscosity of less than 50 mPas at ambient temperature.

11. (new): A process according to any one of claims 3, wherein the ink-jet ink composition processes a viscosity of less than 50 mPas at ambient temperature.

12. (new): A process according to any one of claims 4, wherein the ink-jet ink composition processes a viscosity of less than 50 mPas at ambient temperature.

13. (new): An ink jet system comprising a compound of the formula I or II or Ia or IIa.